The Trey O'Hearts

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By arrangement with the Universal Film Manufacturing Company, it is possible to read "The Trey O' Hearts" in The Times-Dispatch and also to see it in pictures at the Superior Theatre. Synopsis of preceding chapters: The trey of hearts is the death sign used by Seneça Trine in the private war waged by him through his daughter. Judith, against Alan Law, whose father, low dead, Trine blamed for the accident that made him a cripple for life. Law and Rose, Judith's twin sister, love each other, and Rose files to his assistance. Judith's life is saved by Alan, and she falls in love with him, but, scorned by him, she pursues the lovers implacably. After escaping death many times at the hands of Judith and her men, Alan comes to New York in search of Rose, who has been brought home by Judith. Surviving many desperate attempts on his life, Alan learns that Rose is being taken West by her father, and that his friend, Tom Barcus, proposes to go on the same train, disguised as a colored porter, life follows, and by daring methods lands Rose and Barcus with him in the caboose of a freight train. Judith, who is also on the freight, manages to wreck the caboose, but the lovers, with Barcus, save themselves by jumping. Trine pursues them hotly.

CHAPTER LXVI.—BAFFLED.

Now while this was in process, the Now while this was in process, the person of boyish appearance, who had been keeping religiously aloot and inconspicuous in the background of Detail ever since that unhappy affair with the trainman, stole quietly up to the rear of the stalled Fullman, climbed aboard, and creeping down the alsle unceremoniously interrupted the conference that as the level of the stalled. just as the invalid was polishing off a rude but honest opinion of the intellectual calibre of one of the three named Marrophat, who figured his right-hand man and familiar

ejaculated with candid fervor, lounging gracelessly in the doorway. "There's many a true word spoken in wrath, Mr. Marrophat. Father forgot only one thing—your masterly way with a re-volver. From what I've seen of that, this day, I'll go bail that the only safe place for a man you pull a gun on is right in front of the muzzle. There's

To this Mr. Marrophat found nothing to say; but there was great eloquence in his manner of performing one of the minor gestures in the repertoire of properly barefaced scoundrelne trick known as biting the lip.
"Judith!" exclaimed the invalid.
Where did you drop from?"
"From that height," Judith explained

carclessly, neglecting to clucidate the exact fashion of her drop. "I judged you'd be along presently, and thought I'd like to learn the news. "Vell-what

Her father shrugged with his one movable shoulder. Mr. Marrophat grunted indignantly. The others shuffied uneasily and looked all, ways but one—at the girl in man's clothing. "Nøne?" Judith interpreted. "You don't mean to tell me that after I had

taken all that trouble—cast the caboose loose in the middle of that trestle at the risk of my life—you didn't have

Marrophat—though I'm sure it's a bitter thing to say to your faces!"

The man named Marrophat flushed resentfully, "We do our best, as Jimmy says," he observed. "We can't be blamed if something—somehow—always happens to tip the others off."

The girl swung to face him with blazing eyes. "Just what does that mean?" she demanded in a dangerous yolce.

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Rensons for Bloomers.

Up to the age of two or three the sexes are dressed alike. Therefore, there is little difference in the statistics of deaths from burning. A little girl is about as safe as a little by. But from four onward our foolish differentiation of the sexes by clothes renders the unfortunate little girls much more vulnerable to this terrible accident of catching fire. Boys with

what he was—a horseman of the plains, a native son; and that his cast was that of a chevaller d'industrie was as plain-ly demonstrated by the heavy, old-fashioned Colt's forty-five that hung level in his either hand.

"Excuse me, friends," he offered in a lazy, semihumorous drawl. "It pains me considerable to butt in on this happy family gathering, but business is business, same as usual, and I got to ast you all to please put up your

hands!"

There was little to choose between the alacrity with which nine hands were elevated: but one, the right hand of the invalid, remained motionless. And this the intruder indicated with a significant jerk of one revolver.

"You, too, mister," he advised. "I'm sorry to judge you're sickly, but I can't afford to play no favorites! Both hands is what I meant."

[Continued To-morrow.]

The Magic Gift BY LILLIAN RUSSELL

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Kindliness and generosity of spirit is the finish, the ribbon and star of human nature. Beauty as the sign of health, harmonious development, and fine feeling, may well draw all eyes after it, and is not beneath any woman's regard. But to make beauty the one aim in life, just to gain power over others less gifted or her sex, is beneath conterapt.

The time has come for a finer civilization which will realize higher health, longer life, and richer delight than the world has yet known. The first step toward this will be an awakening to the value of health upon life. Why, the first duty of religion is to secure perfect health, so much do the usefulness and purity of the spirit depend upon it.

So many fail to obey the laws of self-preservation—which insure life to those who prize it and beauty to women who value it more than life. To be beautiful is rare, To be charming is within the reach of every woman and still rare' than mere beauty. The magic girdle of Venus was the gift of charming, without which she was merely a pretty woman.

A woman careless of complexion,

Household

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tollet, and air, by virtue of good humor, inborn instinct, may set society playing harmoniously and leaves a pleasant impression on every creature with whom she has speech.

Dissect the charm as you please. Make many words about it. You will never come nearer the secret than it is nature's fine magic, only not, like magic, transferable. At is, however, contagious. Fashion's Decree



NEWS OF ASHLAND

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHLAND, VA., October 12,-The Woman's Literary Club held a reunion

meeting at Hanover Club. Mrs. R. E.

mean?" she demanded in a dangerous voice.

Marrophat lifted his shoulders. "Nothing—much," he allowed. "I am only thinking how strange it is that Mr. Law can't be caught by any sort of stratagem—when you are on the job, Miss Judith!"

The girl's hands were clenched into flats, white knuckles showing through the flesh. "You contemptible puppy!" she snapped.

But on this her voice failed; for her eyes traveled past the person of Mr. Marrophat to the doorway of the draw-ling-room and found it framing a stranger—a man with a bold eye, bold ly handsome face of bronze, and a body of such huge bulk that his head must bow to pass beneath the linten, while his shoulders all but touched both jambs.

His dress proclaimed him frankly for what he was—a horseman of the plains, a native son; and that his cast was that

Mothers of little girls are making no mistake when they adopt the utilitarian bloomers for house and play little girls are making of the control of the cont sest an absolutely vegetarian diet, milk slong excepted—that is, drink all the milk you should find the milk you skin, the constitution is not hard physical abort therefore, it would not be difficiently the state of t

Death of Devine Unavoidable.

Coroner J. Fulmer Bright, of Henrico County, conducted an investigation yesterday into the death of William B. Devine, who was instantly killed on Saturday night by a Richmond and Chesapeake Bay line car near Henrico Street. The jury decided that the killing was accidental, and freed the car crew from all responsibility. The body has been turned over to relatives in Ashland, the home of Devine.

BRILLIANT BALL TENDERED **VISITING BANKERS TO-NIGHT**

tifully decorated for the occasion in palms, flags and quantities of fall flowers, and the wonderful gowns worn by the women and girls invited, will make the scene a very brilliant one. The Governor of Virginia is guest of honor with the out-of-town bankers for the twening, and many distinguished men (vening, and many distinguished men). evening, and many distinguished men from all over the country will be pres-ent. The hall will be thronged with

Another handsome entertainment given for the visiting ladies of the association, was the tea held at the Commonwealth Club yesterday afternoon. sociation, was the tea held at the Commonwealth Club yesterday afternoon. The annex of the club was decorated everywhere with fragrant flowers, against a background of trailing vines and palms, and among the prominent society women receiving the visitors were Mesdames George Ainslie, C. C. Barksdale, Henry Landon Cabell, H. W. Ellerson, de Soto Fitzgerald, W. M. Habliston, Horace S. Hawes, George B. Hutchings, J. Jordan Leake, John H. Lyons, Edin C. Laird, C. B. Lathrop, Edward C. Mayo, W. S. P. Mayo, Thomas Branch McAdams, E. R. W. McCabe, E. A. Palmer, Walliam H. Palmer, Jr., J. Scott Parrish, C. Ramsay, W. T. Reed, Oliver J. Sands, Frederick William Scott, Ashton Starke, W. Brydon Tennant, Granville, G. Valentine, Garrett B. Wall, A. D. Williams, Frank Deane Williams, E. Randolph Williams, John Skelton Williams, C. C. Wise, Robert W. Withers, Coleman Wortham and George W. Warren.

W. Warren.

To Attend Wedding.

Miss Mary Butler, of "Poplar Grove,"
Mathews County, is the guest of relatives here for a short stay, en route for "Rose Hill," near Greenwood, where she will be one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of. Miss Ella Buck and James Gordon Smith, of this city, on Saturday. Miss Virginia Christian and Miss Nora Randolph are already guests at "Rose Hill" for the wedding, and Miss Rate Seddon, of New York, and Miss Roberta Trigg, of Richmond, will also be among Miss Buck's attendants on Saturday at her marriage.

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The younger dancing set in Richmond is much interested in the anbreak Reform for Little Girls.

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eath by burning is far more frequences:

"We went through with it all right;"

"The jurn district of the same age. This as usual, they were too quick for us.

They jumped out and dropped off the treatle before our engine hit the cabose. We smashed that to kindling wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And by the time we had stopped and calmed down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the crash. And the down the engine wood—but they got away just in time to miss the proposed little form four to twenty outnumber to miss the proposed little form four to twenty outnumber to miss the cash of the proposed little form four to twenty outnumber to miss the cash of the proposed little form four to twenty outnumber to miss the miss that the mond in the cash with the more curlous about fire than are girls from four to twenty outnumber to the proposed little form four to twenty outnumber to miss the miss to the cash of the form four to twenty outnumber to the form four

In the North.

Miss Lucy Clay Brown, of South Third Street, has left town for a visit to Miss Kimbell, at her home in Pittsburgh, Pa. Later Miss Brown will go to New York and Philadelphia, where she will also be the guest of friends.

Staples—Barahill.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Barnhill, of 493 St. Paul's Avenue, Borough, of Richmond, New York City, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Henry Lee Staples, of Richmond. No date has as yet been announced for the wedding, which will be an event of the greatest interest to society in this city and throughout the State.

Quiet Wedding.

Quiet Wedding. The marriage of Miss Bissye Rolinck, of Baltimore, and Henry Weinstein, of this city, was quietly celebrated on Sunday, September 27. Mr. and Mrs. Weinstein will be at home to their friends this evening from 8 to 10 o'clock the home of the former's parents, 1524 Floyd Avenue.

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Interesting Wedding.

A marriage of interest to friends in Richmond was solemnized in Christ Church, Macon, Ga., on Thursday morning of last week, when Miss Lillian Fletcher Matthews became the bride of Charles Edward Crawford, of this city. Miss Matthews is a daughter of the late Gustavus Matthews, who was for many years editor of the Macon Telegraph, and is a favorite in Macon society. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford are spending a few days in the Sapphire Country of North Carolina, and upon their return will make their home at 1723 Grove Avenue, in this city.

Spend Fall at the Hot.

announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Edith Trevilian, to Ashton Starke Eppartone wedding will be celebrated in the

early part of November, at the home of the bride's parents, 2002 Grove

Avenue.

For Miss Ballew.

Mr and Mrs. S. E. Ballew entertained at their home on Fulton Hill on last Friday evening in honor of the fifteenth birthday of their daughter, Thelma. The evening was spent in playing games, and the guests enjoyed several selections rendered on the plano by Miss Eva Lacy. Miss Ballew received several beautiful presilew received several beautiful presilew received several beautiful presilem. lew received several beautiful pres-

Governor Henry Carter Stuart to Head Receiving Line—Several Fall Weddings Are Announced.

Many brilliant costumes will be worn by the women in attendance upon the ball to be given this evening to the Richmond convention of the American Bankers' Association. The entertainment, which will take place in the Richmond Grays's Armory at 9 o'clock, will be a very handsome and interesting event. The huge hall will be beautifully decorated for the occasion in paims, flags and quantities of fall flowers.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

guests for the reception at 9 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. H. Watkins Ellerson and their small daughter, who spent the summer at "Buck Hill," have returned and there will be informal dancing at to 316 East Grace Street for the win-

> Morson Keith, of the University of Virginia, spent the week-end here as the guest of his father, Judges James Keith, on Cathedral Place.

Mrs. Ware B. Gay has returned to the Chesterfield, after an extended stay in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Louise Williams and her little son, of Marion, and Miss Emma Wall, of Blacksburg, are visiting Mrs. W. H. Ward, at 316 East Main Street.

Miss Louise Michaux, of Powhatan County, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Owen for a short stay.

Mrs. T. W. Wood, who has been absent from Richmond for some time, is now with the Misses Vaden, at "Buck Hill," for several weeks. Mrs. George C. Cunningham and Miss Emily Lyman have returned to Rich-mond, after spending the summer months at the Old Sweet Springs and

Misses Mary and R. Willie Ward left Saturday for Buckingham, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Barton Wise and Miss Nell Wise have returned to the city, after a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Everett, who have been absent from the city for some time, have returned to their apartment at the Chesterfield.

Mrs. Henry Longley, of Wilmington, N. C., who is in Richmond for the bankers' convention, is the guest of Miss Ruby Powell, on Rowland Street. Miss Margaret Conway, of Danville, is visiting the Misses Brown at their home, on South Third Street.

Mrs. Rudersil, of Rappahannock; Miss Hutson, of Culpeper, and Mrs. Hickerson, of Maryland, were guests of Mrs. Lawrence Paul for fair week.

Miss Louise Ransome, of Elk Hill, and Sam A. Garrison, of Reanoke, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Craven, on West Main Street, last week.

Mrs. William Weeks, of Lynchburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Leary, on Mulberry Street, and is accompanied by Miss Effic Stoner, also of Lynchburg.

Miss Anna Griffith and Mrs. S. S. Griffith, of Louisa, are visiting Mrs. Frank Boxley, of West Grace Street.

WOMEN'S MEETING.

The Williams' Memorial Circle of King's Daughters will meet at 422 East Franklin Street this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Arrested for Peddling.

H. Schofield and a young woman giving the name of Mrs. Ollie Foster were yesterday arrested by Detectives Atkinson, Duffy, and Thurman, charged with peddling jewelry without a license. According to the poile, they have been pawning diamonds and other articles of jewelry and later selling the pawn tickets. Ten diamonds and a stickpin were found in their possession when arrested. They came to Richmond from Norfolk, it is said, and a postal money order receipt showed that they had shipped \$300 to New Yest.

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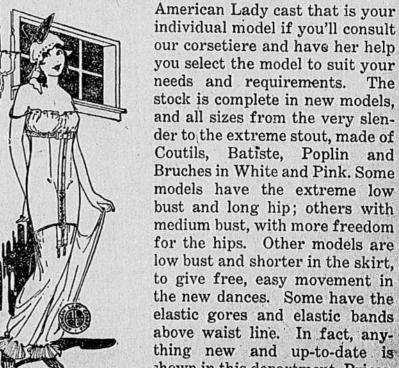
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\$5.00, \$7.06, according to material and boning. All

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